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ISIAH McCALL.

NOTICE.
SALE OF LANDS IN THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF PRINCE ALBERT.
Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the Corporation of the Town of Prince Albert will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1895, at the Council Chamber in the said Town of Prince Albert at 10 o'clock a.m. and take notice that a list of said lands was published in "THE SASKATCHEWAN TIMES" a newspaper published in said Town of dates 25th Sept., 2nd, 9th and 16th of October, 1894.
J. M. COOMBS,
Treasurer.
Prince Albert, Sask., 26th Oct., 1894.

NOT
Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next ensuing session of the Dominion Government for a renewal and extension of the charter of The Saskatchewan Railway and Mining Co., Chap. 78, 51, 52, Vic., and for a revision of the Board of Provisional Directors.
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Dated at Prince Albert this 1st day of December, A.D., 1894.
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THE MAYORALTY.
To the Editor of the Times.

SIR,—I with many others, have noticed that since Mr. Davis, our present mayor, has put himself forward as a candidate for re-election, that the editor of the *Advocate* has lost no opportunity of opposing Mr. Davis through the medium of the sheet which he controls, Were this opposition done in a manly way, I would not find fault with his strictures, as every man has a right to his individual opinion, but when this opposition is marked by round about insinuations instead of open antagonism, the thinking mind cannot help concludidg that this way of doing business betrays personal animosity as well as moral cowardice. And further, goes to show that spiteful enmity has more to do with this effusion of spleen than a desire to perform a public duty, his assurances to the contrary notwithstanding.

As an elector, therefore, with consider able vested interests in the municipality, I set myself to the task of getting at the bottom of this thing, and finding out the real reason of Mr Stovel's insidious attacks on Mr. Davis. There are several reasons I find for the present peevish utterances of Mr Stovel. One is that Mr Davis opposed his appointment to the management of the car of agricultural exhibits sent from here. It is well known to Mr. Davis did not oppose Mr. Stovel on personal grounds, his wish being that a practical farmer should accompany our products east instead of one whose knowledge of agriculture was *nil*. Another spot on which Mr. Stovel feels very sore was that he did not get his hand into the public purse by getting the public printing. In answer to this it is well known that the public printing was given out before Mr. Davis became mayor, and also before Mr. Stovel and his sheet came into notice.

With regard to Mr. Stovel's fine drawn remarks about business men and business transactions, how comes it that Mr. Stovel has so suddenly found out that for business qualifications he prefers Mr. McPhail Three months ago the *Advocate* supported Mr. Davis against the same man who now opposes him. What change has come over the spirit of Mr. Stovel's dream in so short a time?

No one can deny, Mr. Editor, that during the short time that Mr. Davis has held the office of chief magistrate of this town, the public business has been carried on in an efficient and satisfactory manner and I for one believe that the mayor and council whose time have now expired are the best that we have had for years. This being the case, I can see no good reason to exchange those who are again in the field for re-election for men who are as yet untried. Mr. McPhail and others who wish to step into the shoes of those who have acted faithfully in the public service can afford to wait. And more the public can afford to pay little attention to the silly tirades of Mr. Stovel.

I am yours truly,
A CITIZEN.

To the Editor of the Times.

SIR:—Will you please give me space in your columns to state that my signature which appears on a requisition for Mr. McPhail was obtained from me by misrepresentation.

Mr. Stovel (when he asked me to sign the paper in question) told me distinctly that Mr. Davis was not going to run again. When I found out that I had been deceived I asked Mr. Stovel to scratch my name off Mr. McPhail's list but he refused to do so. I am obliged therefore to take this means of explaining my position.

As I don't want it said by any person that I would sign a requisition for one candidate and vote for another; and I will vote for Mr. Davis and do all that I can to secure his re-election.

Thanking you for your valuable space, I am yours respectfully,
JOHN MAIR.

To the Editor of the Times.

DEAR SIR:—Hitherto we, the people of Prince Albert, have had quite a number of election tussles, both civic and otherwise with, I am happy to say, few unpleasant recriminations to mar the good fellowship that generally reigns amongst us. But I am sorry to observe that this civic election looks as if it was going to be an exception to the accustomed rule. The man who controls the course of the lately born sheet of this town has gained the unenviable notriety of being the first to throw dirt upon it. one who choose to differ from his narrow minded views. If this is a specimen of Mr. McPhail's standard bearers, I beg to be excused from following his company. If this individual had pointed out some flaw in Mr. Davis' administration while Mayor of this town one would be disposed to listen to his accusations and endeavor to discover the truth or untruth of his assertions. But when it glaringly appears that he is indulging in side thrusts and far fetched insinuations to satisfy a palpable personal animosity the discerning public, I am sure, will not pay much attention to his incoherent jumbling of "things that differ." The only question before the public now is this: Has Mr. Davis done his duty during the short time he has held office or has he not? So far as I am aware this question must be answered in the affirmative. The silence of the man of the *Advocate* upon this vital point is a sure sign that nothing can be said to the contrary.

This being the case I would next ask, What is the necessity of a change at this time? The Mayor and Council have clearly done their duty in a satisfactory manner; for nothing has been said to the contrary. Then I ask again, what special benefit is the town to derive from the election of Mr. McPhail or anybody else? It Mr. Davis has done well what better can we expect from Mr. McPhail? It seems to me absurd to make a change merely for the sake of a change, without gaining any benefit thereby. And we are not told that Mr. McPhail can or will offer or obtain for us any special benefit that Mr. Davis has failed to get. As for the mud slinging of the *Advocate* man, we can afford to get along without it very well for some time yet. I do not think that stuff like that will reflect any great credit on himself or on the cause which he adopts

Yours Truly,
SENEX.

Entertainment.

It is a generally received truth that when the Freemasons get up an entertainment of any sort it is a good one, and without fear of contradiction we may say that the one given in the Town Hall, last Thursday evening was fully up to the mark. The performance was one of the best we remember ever having seen in Prince Albert.

It would be invidious on our part to make any distinction with regard to the performers, because all performed their parts in a highly creditable manner. The Irish wit of Capt. Allen, who acted the part of Pat McGinnis set the audience in a roar of laughter which was enhanced by the comica acting of Mr. Thompson in the role of Mrs. McGinnis. Mr. D. C. McLellan acted the part of Mike Haggarty to perfection, so also did Mr. Jackson as policeman.

The play of "The Coming Woman, or the Spirit of '99," was really the piece of the evening and every part was well sustained by the actors. The acting of Mrs. Bain as Mrs. Wolverine Griffin was executed in a masterly manner, and drew forth the admiration of the house The nonchalant acting of Miss Clarke in the character of Mrs. Badger, the assessor, was really amusing. Miss Hattie Allan as Her Honor Judge Wigfall was a masterpiece, while Miss Allan as Vieforme performed her part worthy of an old hand on the stage. The acting of Mr. McKenzie as Carberry, and Mr. T. N. Campbell was also extra good. From all we can learn everybody was highly delighted, and felt sorry when the entertainment came to a close. It is to be hopod that the brethren of the mystic tie will see their way to give another night of amusement in the near future.

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By the time that these lines reach the eye of our readers the year 1894 with all its faults and follies; its ever varying scenes; its joys and sorrows will have passed away into the dead past and henceforth to be reckoned among the things that were. In taking our almost last look at the expiring year we cannot help calling to mind the words of Lord Tennyson:

"Full knee deep lies the winter snow,
And the winter winds are wearily sighing;
Toll ye the church-bell sad and slow,
And tread softly and speak low,
For the Old Year lies a-dying."

At such seasons as these there is ample food for reflection. Time is ever on the wing and ever hurrying on; bearing us with it to the land of the unknown. Thousands who saw the beginning of 1894 were not permitted to see its end; and we may rest assured that our turn and those of our readers will come some time in the near future. We who witness the beginning of 1895 may or may not witness its end; but one thing is certain that if we are spared to see its end, there will come a year that will bear us away with it into the land of oblivion. But let not this daunt or intimidate us. Let us do our duty to all above and around us, which if we do we shall enjoy life in all its ramifications and also be willing to accompany Father Time when called upon to pass into the state of things of yesterday. It is said, often in a jocular way, that the New Year is the season of forming good resolutions; but we do not know of any period of time specially set apart for that purpose. The season for making good resolutions ought to be always before us; the proper time being every hour of our lives. The resolutions made at the beginning of a year are no more liable to be permanent than those made at midsummer. We trust that all who are spared to see 1895 will use the time committed to their charge in the best manner possible, doing good to themselves and to all around them. As for us we will endeavor to do our duty by making THE SASKATCHEWAN TIMES as entertaining as possible to our patrons, and worthy of their patronage. And as the old year is now slipping away from us, we take our stand upon the vestibule of the new and making our bow, wish all our friends and patrons, A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

The war news from the East is very meagre at present. Nothing of importance has transpired for the last two or three weeks. It may be the lull before the storm, but whatever it may be it cannot be the end of the play yet The late unusual friendship that has sprung up between England and Russia has taken the world by surprise, and upset every calculation hitherto made by the knowing ones. What will be the result of this newly formed alliance, if it may be so called, is hard to forsee; but we cannot be brought to believe that this sudden cordiality between these two powers, will endure for a great length of time Each of their individual interests are too far apart for that.

The United States has followed Great Britain's example and concluded a treaty of amity; commerce and navigation with Japan. It is becoming fashionable to be friendly with the pugnacious little Mongolians.

The new Czar is said not only to be much attached to his English relatives but to be possessed of English sympathies. It would be rather a joke on France if next summer a Russian fleet would pass Toulon to receive a welcome at Portsmouth,

Li Hung Chang has been deprived of all his honors, If he is responsible for the inefficiency of the Chinese military service, he is getting off easily. The man who, knowing what the Chinese forces were, permitted war to be engaged in deserves no honor.

Monday the 7th of January next is the day proclaimed for the nomination of Mayor and six councillors for the town of Prince Albert for the year 1895. As will be seen by the letter of "A Citizen" in another column the fight is going to be a warm one. We feel very much interested in the welfare of this good town of Prince Albert, and would do our best to ensure the welfare of our fellow citizens, and at this time we, like all the rest of our community, cannot afford to be idle spectators of the contest going on in our midst. We also as free and independent electors have our choice, and our choice at this time rests upon Mr. Davis, for the simple reason that he has done his duty during his last term of office in a gentlemanly, fair and upright manner and from this fact we see no good reason why we or any respectable citizen should wish for a change. Our motto is, "Let well Alone." But while this is the position we take with regard to the mayoralty, we will not stoop to the contemptible mode of exhibiting our aversion to our opponents by resorting to cowardly insinuations and circulating falsehoods. That has not hitherto been our custom and we do not intend to begin now. We have this to say however, that to the actions of Mr. Davis anent the proposed West End school and his duplicity in the matter which is now so industriously circulated is a misstatement pure and simple. We have no sympathy with such low mondacity and will not use such weapons to secure any favor. We sincerely trust that Mr. Davis will be re-elected, but if it is decreed otherwise we will have the satisfaction to rest upon that we did not descend to low vituperation and falsehood to gain our point.

The Railway Commission appointed to enquire into the alleged extortionate rates of the C.P.R. are making but slow progress. The Commissioners have gone east to enjoy the holidays and their visit out west into this part of the country seems to be very remote It is said that there is not a great deal of information yet got upon the subject, The chairman of the Commissioners having said that the evidence is not near so voluminous as he had supposed. The commission may be the means of causing a reduction in passenger and tariff rates; but from past experience we confess that we have grave doubts on the matter. The only thing we are certain of is that the Commissioners will have a good time and well paid for it; but the people as usual will have to pay for the music. Considerable time, no doubt, will elapse before the sittings of the Commission closes, and nobody as far as we are aware wishes to hurry them up and it may be that they do not wish to hurry themselves, as it is not every day that there is a chance of earning a few dollars in such an easy manner But as to what the result of the enquiry will be is another matter which we are unable to decide at present.

The New York and New England Railway for the past year shows a falling off in earnings of four and a quarter million dollars, or one seventh, from the record of 1893. The net result is a deficit of $1,167,407 where twelve months ago there was a surplus of $971,938 If it is any satisfaction to the kicking Grand Trunk shareholders they have company in their misery.

British authorities report a slow but preceptible increase in the shipment of high class woolen goods to the United States, If they were wise, however, they would hold their peace about such a matter. The feeling in the United States at the present time is such that anything which tends to show that the existing tariff encourages the import of foreign goods is likely to raise a demand for a change that will reverse the position.

Sir Charles Tupper is being attacked by London papers for his cattle scheduling speech to the Forfarshire farmers, which they think, helped to defeat the Liberal candidate. Sir Charles will probably find a precedent for his course in the resolutions Canadian legislative bodies used to adopt telling the Imperial Parliament how Ireland should be governed.

The petitions against the return of Mr. Mogwood, the Conservative member for North Perth, and Mr. St. John the Conservative representative of West York, have been dropped. After the late Ontario elections some thirty petitions were entered against members, but few of them evidently will go to trial. The party managers have been swapping sins, which is what is called a saw off.

Ontario papers are directing attention to the mining and agricultural riches of the Rainy River region, to the west of the southern end of Lake Superior. The Rainy River is in that one time abused desert stretch between Eastern Canada and the prairies of the West. As with some other districts, it has been discovered that it is not as bad as it was painted for political purposes, and is, indeed, rather a good place.

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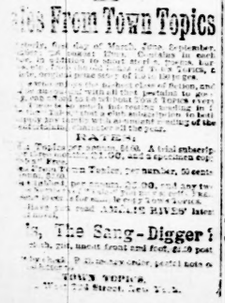

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Rev Canon Flett, Public School Inspector, left by last train for Moosomin, where he will conduct a session for Normal training. The rev. gentleman will not return till about the 1st of March.

The balance of my toys and fancy goods will be sold at cost during the month of January. Geo W. Baker.

The annual meeting of the Lorne Agricultural Society takes place in the town hall on Wednesday, January 16th, 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m. A good attendance of members is requested. We hope to see a large number of farmers present on this occasion as the affairs of the society and its financial condition are in good standing and a rousing meeting to put some of the old time life into the Society is all that is needed.

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Thursday last being St. John's Day, the officers elect of Kinistino Lodge, A. F. & A. M., for the ensuing year were initalled as follows:—J. M. Coombs, W. M.; D. C. McLellan, S. W.; C. O. Davidson, J. W.; James Stewart, Sec.; J. W. Toogood, Treas.; T. E. Baker, D. of C.; John McTaggart, Chap.; R. S. Goodfellow, S.D.; S. J. Donaldson, J.D.; G. C. McLeod, I. F. Bette, Stewards; Wm. Knox, Organist; Thos. Brightmore, Tyler; Isiah McCall, I.G.

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Christmas dinner at the Queen's this year was a most enjoyable affair. Besides the regular number of guests, a large number of friends had been invited, who sat down to a spread such as has seldom been offered in Prince Albert. The large dining room had been tastefully decorated for the occasion and the table laid with every thing that would tempt the most fastidious appetite. Nothing was wanting. On a sideboard were a number of valuable and useful articles which had been presented by the guests to the waiters in acknowledgment of the kindness and attention shown them by those young ladies. At the conclusion of the repast, Mr. H E R—ss, in a neat speech on behalf of those present, proposed the health of the host and hostess to which Mr. Hobbs replied in his usual gentlemanly and felicitous manner.

The greatest papers in Great Britain and the United States freely acknowledge the wonderful merit of the *Family Herald and Weekly Star*, Montreal. The *Family Herald* is a great newspaper and a great family paper, but it is more than that, it is one of the greatest authorities in the world on cheese, butter, general dairying, and general farming. How a progressive, up-to-date farmer can do without the *Family Herald and Weekly Star* of Montreal is hard, indeed, to understand.

The election and installation of officers for the local lodge of the A.O.U.W. took place Wednesday evening last. The following are the names of those installed:—P. M.W., F.W. Kerr; M. W., A. Agnew; Foreman, J. W. Walton; Overseer, J. E. Sinclair; Recorder, J. D. Hanafin; Financier, A.H. Woolman; Receiver, A. S. Stewart; Guide, G. W. Baker; J. W., Joe Savord; O. W., Augus McKay. Trustees—J M Coombs, A A.B. Sprout and T. O. Davis. Representatives to Grand Lodge, F. W. Kerr; A. Agnew.

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Friday evening, the 11th inst., the annual meeting of Court Saskatchewan, I O F, took place at their hall. The election of officers for the ensuing year was the principal business of the evening, and resulted as follows:—Bro. A. S. Stewart, C.R.; Bro. Boyle, V.C.R.; Bro. Love, C.; Bro. Stovel, R.S.; Bro. Woodman, F.S. Bro, Kernaghan, T.; Bro Byrne, S.W. Bro. Clinch, J.W.; Bro. Neil, S.B.; Bro. D McLeod, J.B. Trustees—Bros. Jos. Courtney and Coungdon. Finance Committee—Bros. Sinclair and Mavretty. Bro Bette, the retiring chief ranger, provided refreshments for the occasion, and the most enjoyable evening for some time past was spent together by the members in their forest home.

All our farmer friends would find it to their advantage to take and read the Farmer's Advocate and Home Magazine. It is the only semi-monthly agricultural journal published in the Dominion of Canada, and the Manitoba and western edition is without doubt the best agricultural paper for the farmers of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. The subscription is $1 per year. Send for a sample copy. Address: Farmers Advocate, Winnipeg.

Last Friday was the gala day for the Sunday School children of Prince Albert, for it was on that day that the celebrated Santa Claus came to this town loaded with gifts of all sorts, calculated to please the fancy of the young people. We are sorry that we had not the opportunity of visiting the several gathering of the young people as the several churches had wisely decided to hold their entertainment on the same day; but from what we saw at the gathering of the school children of St Alban's Church, we were convinced that nothing was lacking to make the youngsters happy The show was so pretty that we almost wished we were a Sunday School scholar again. The gathering was held in the town Council Chamber in the centre of which was erected a beautiful tree loaded with an excellent variety of books, toys, etc. After a very nice refreshment being given to the children, consisting of tea, cakes and fruit. The superintendent of the school donned the uniform of Santa Claus and forthwith distributed prizes and gifts to every child present; the happy faces clustering around his sainship showed that all were in a contented frame of mind. A great many of the parents and others were present and joined in the general rejoicing.

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Belleville, January 4th, 187

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Having been requested by a large number of the ratepayers of the town to offer myself as a candidate for councillor at the ensuing election, I have consented to do so.

If elected, I will use my best efforts in keeping down all expenses other than actually necessary in conducting the affairs of the town.

The election takes place January 15th, 1895.

Your vote and influence is respectfully requested.

R. G. CONGDON.

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Lorne Agricultural Society.

The above Society will hold its annual meeting in the Town Hall on Wednesday, 16th day of January, 1895 at 1:30 p.m. Farmers and all others interested are especially requested to attend.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF PRINCE ALBERT.

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Those of the Ratepayers who think that I have performed my duties faithfully in the past, are respectfully requested to again support me.

I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,

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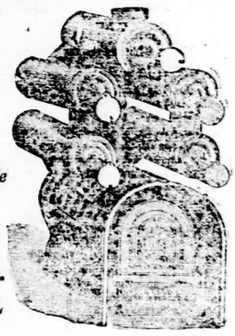

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JAMES TAYLOR,
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	26	46	27	W 2	54 74	16 60	71 34	640

I, R. W. Boylan, secretary of said School District, do hereby certify that the above list of lands to be sold for taxes is correct.

Dated this 24th day of December, 1894.

R. W. BOYLAN, Secretary.

Notice is given that the above lands will be sold on the 16th day of January, 1895, at the Red Deer Hill School House in said District, sale to commence at ten o'clock a. m., in accordance with the terms and provisions of the School Ordinance of the North West Territories providing for the sale of lands for arrears of School Taxes.

Dated this 24th day of December, A. D. 1894, at said School District.

R. W. BOYLAN, Treasurer of said School District.

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IN THE OLDEN TIMES.

By James Stewart.

TWENTIETH PAPER.

As the spring came on preperations were being made for the summer's work. The carpenters were busy patching up and repairing boats, while some of the men were sent on trips after the Indians, while at the same time a great many of the Indians were coming in to the fort with their winter's supply of furs. I was about this time sent out with an Indian on a trip on snow shoes. We visited several camps of Indians and had a very good time on this whole. We had a train of dogs each and there were four dogs on each sleigh. I liked walking and running in snowshoes very well, but I cannot say that I admired driving dogs, it seemed to be the cause of too much profanity. One who wishes to learn to swear in French language, I would advise him to take about a week's journey with dog sleighs and I will guarantee that he will acquire that accomplishment to perfection.

On my arrival back to Norway House I found that four of my companions, who had come out with me on the ship, had arrived from Oxford House, where they had been left the preceding fall on their way up from York Factory. They were accompanied by an old hand named Murdoch McLeod, who had been in the company's service for upwards of forty years, most of which time he had been in British Columbia. My friend Sloper also came with this party. Now both McLeod and Sloper were somewhat remarkable characters in their way, both being pretty much addicted to telling some wonderful stories, and having very few scruples in drawing the long bow. Now in meeting with such characters I, as a rule, never attempt to contradict any story they may chance to relate, however extravagant or unreasonable they might be. There was, however, a marked difference between Sloper and McLeod. McLeod would brook no contradiction in anything he might say, no matter how unlikely his narration might be. For instance, according to his account, British Columbia was a country equal to the Garden of Eden, if not superior to it. He would never cease lauding that country to the skies and woe be to the individual who had the temerity to doubt his word in the matter. Sloper on the other hand had a very high opinion of his own abilities and prowress, but anyone who chanced to contradict him in his strange adventures he would simply look upon such a one as unworthy of his notice and would inwardly despise him for his ignorance. Now when we left the old country very few of the young fellows who came out with us on the ship could boast of having a watch, with the exception of my friend Sloper and two or three others. But this watch of Sloper's was really a wonderful piece of mechanism, the sun and moon might err in making their usual rounds, but Sloper's watch, never. The first yarn he told me when we met was about this self-same watch, that it had never stopped going from the day he left Stromness to this very day. To show the good qualities of this wonderful timekeeper he related that he was sent out to the woods at Oxford House shortly before Christmas to cut some firewood, and while doing so he got so warm at his work that he slipped off his coat and vest, in the pocket of which was his watch, and hung these garments on the branch of a tree, shortly afterwards there came a messenger from the fort with peremptory orders to return to the fort as he was wanted immediately. He started for home forgetting all about his coat and vest which he had hung to the branch of a tree. He was not allowed to go back to the woods again until after the Christmas and New Year, which was about two months after he had left his clothes there. He was sure that by this time his watch would be ruined as the weather was between forty and fifty below zero most of the time, but what was his astonishment to find that the watch was still ticking on as lively as a cricket and had not lost a second of time since it was hung there.

"But who wound it up in the meantime," asked Snipe, the tailor.

"Hold your tongue, you impudent young whelp," retorted the blacksmith, "cheeky young brats like you would spoil any story by your foolish questions."

The sun was now getting somewhat strong, consequently there was every appearance of spring. The wild geese were beginning to fly northwards and every one who was the possessor of a gun was on the alert for some fresh meat. McLeod among the rest got his shooting iron in order, and as luck would have it, shot the first goose of the season. This was some thing to be proud of. He was as full of fun as a young kitten and gave us all a very elaborate account of how he managed to get the prize. He plucked the goose and having cleaned it very nicely had it hung up by a string in front of the chimney in which was a blazing fire—there was no stoves employed in those days—Murdoch McLeod having placed a plate underneath his goose to catch the gravy, sat beside it giving the string a turn now and again so that all the parts might be equally cooked, complacently looking forward to having an enjoyable supper. The rest of the men in the house were busying themselves about one thing and another, while Isbister and myself were sitting together at the farther end of the room from Murdoch, filling our pipes preparatory to having a comfortable smoke. We were whispering a few words to each other, when one of the men near us remarked:

"The devil has come business on hand, Isbister and Stewart are whispering together."

We seemed to make a reply to this insolent remark, but shortly after I got up and walked to the spot where McLeod was cooking his goose, in order to light my pipe, which having done I sat down on the form behind McLeod and in a little while ventured to say that those miserable wild geese to British Columbia. McLeod turned around and asked me in the name of his Satanic Majesty who told me that I meekly replied that I had read several authors and I never met with one yet who ever mentioned the fact of wild geese being there, which I believed to be true. From one thing to another we both got into a very hot discussion over the matter McLeod maintaining that there were wild geese there, while I was quoting author after author who had no existence save in my own fertile brain to support my argument. During this time McLeod had become totally oblivious of his roast, so much so that Isbister, who had come to the chimney to light his pipe, cut the string with his pen-knife, and having placed the goose in the lappet of his coat walked outside and hid it in some corner and returning into the house resumed his seat without McLeod having once observed him. Shortly afterwards I terminated the contest by allowing McLeod to have his own way, and retired from the scene of the contest. McLeod proceeded once more to turn the string by which his supper had been suspended, but, of course, the goose had vanished, the dear knows where I have yet in my mind's eye the blank look of astonishment depicted on McLeod's face when he found nothing but a piece of the string remaining. The joke was too good for any of the men to poach on Isbister, so, of course, nobody took notice of the flight of the goose. As for myself I said that I thought I saw something go out at the door, but whether it was a man or a goose I really had no recollection. McLeod however, got raging mad and began to swear like a trooper, and actually got outside on the platform, dashed off his cap and danced with rage, but the trouble was that he could not suspect any person. After swearing awhile he calmed down somewhat, but, poor fellow, he never saw his goose again.

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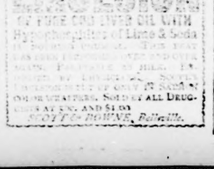

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